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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Roosevelt's plurality over Parker in New York State is 174 691. —— County Treasuer at Prescott, Ariz., robbed of $15,000. —— Plant of the Southern Oil Co., at Forsyth, Ga., destroyed by fire. —— Former mayor McCue, of Charlottesville, Va., convicted of the murder of his wife, was sentenced yesterday to be hanged January 20th; his counsel gave notice of appeal. —— President Roosevelt was overwhelmed with congratulations yesterday. —— The majority for the State ticket in North Carolina will be about 50,000; both Democrats and Republicans claim the Eighth congressional district. —— John A. Johnson, Democrat, and Ray Jones, Republican, were elected governor and lieutenant governor, respectively, of Minnesota. —— Judge Parker issues an address to the Democracy of the nation. —— Roosevelt carried West Virginia by over 10,000. —— Japanese continue to bombard Port Arthur and have silenced several Russian forts. —— In a duel with pistols near Eastover, S. C., S. A. Phillips was killed and R. L. Irby died within an hour. —— The entire Democratic ticket in Florida was elected. —— The Democratic majority in Tennessee will be over 25,000 —— N. Y. markets: Money on call steady at 2@2½ per cent; flour was steady but inactive; wheat—spot firm; No. 2 red $1.21½; corn—spot firm, No 2, 64½c.; oats—spot steady; mixed, 26@32 pounds, 34½@35½c.; cotton was quiet at 10.15c.; rosin steady; spirits turpentine weak.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Dep't of Agriculture,
Weather Bureau,
Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 9.

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 52; 8 P. M., 61 degrees; maximum, 72 degrees; minimum 52 degrees; mean; 62 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since first of the month to date, 1.08 inch.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 9.—For North Carolina: Rain Thursday, with lower temperature in the mountain districts. Friday clearing and colder; fresh to brisk east to northeast winds.

Port Almanac—November 10.

Sun Rises	6.30 A. M.
Sun Sets	4 56 P. M.
Day's Length	10 H. 26 M.
High Water at Southport	10 07 P. M.
High Water at Wilmington	12.37 A. M.

We now know how Russia feels.

Gee, but we got a volcanic jolt.

Salt river is now choked up with political craft.

The silent vote decided to let money do the talking.

The floating voters appear to have drifted ashore in a bunch.

The Democratic "animule" stands pat on getting hitched up.

Roosevelt's "natural gait is running away" with all the votes.

Roosevelt drew the sectional line and the North lined up with him.

Roosevelt got an encore, but, thanks to the South, it took us part in it.

Tom Watson, Eugene V. Debbs and Dr. Swallow haven't got any room to laugh.

The attention of the Durham Herald is called to the fact that somebody "saved the State."

It is all right. We won a victory. The solid South presented a solid front of defiance to Roosevelt.

President Roosevelt will please give us a symposium on how to stand hitched without pawing up the earth.

The female clerks in the New York Postoffice are to be ousted. Come right along, girls, and line up with us "outs."

Before the election it was said that the silent vote would decide it. The silent vote had no business to speak out like it did.

Tom Watson has no cause to lose any sleep. He had no fond anticipations to be crushed and has no regrets to cherish.

It is all over. All we want to know is where the Republicans got all the money to take care of a big majority like that.

"I told you so!" Bip, bip, biff, biff, bim! "Wow! Wow!" Served him right. Judgment suspended if you'll hit him again.

"Before taking," the Democratic election prognostications looked like the real thing; "after taking," they look like 30 cents.

Thanksgiving Day will be here November 24th. The turkey will also know what it is to have the majority laying for him.

The price of a kiss has been fixed at $10 by a Kansas jury. The price may look high to some people but it is not high for the man who can afford to pay it.

The Filipinos may as will make up their minds to be good. Panama has nothing to expect from any stunt of gaiety that she may have had in contemplation.

TO CANVASS RETURNS TO-DAY

County Board Will Meet This Morning and Declare Officially the Results of Tuesday's Election—Majorities.

According to law, the Board of Canvassers for New Hanover will meet at the Court House this morning at 11 o'clock, to examine the returns and declare the vote as cast in Tuesday's election. Semi-official returns from every precinct in the county were printed in tabulated form in these columns yesterday morning, and it is safe to say that the official count today will not alter the figures as already given. The majority for the national ticket is 1,169; for Glenn 1,264; for Winston, Lieutenant Governor, 1,099, and for the rest of the State and judicial ticket, about 1,300. Patterson's majority over Spears is 1,184, while in the absence of any ticket by the Republicans, the county and legislative officers will receive majorities ranging from 1,290 to 1,305.

The Board of County Canvassers is composed of one of the poll holders at each precinct, appointed Tuesday night as the law direct to deliver and canvass the returns. The Board, upon assembling at the Court House this morning, will elect a chairman and a secretary and all of them will be sworn. They will then proceed, in the presence of such electors as desire to attend, to canvass the vote and officially declare the result, settling all such differences as may arise. An abstract of the vote in each box will be made and duly signed by the chairman of the Board of Canvassers, and a copy of each delivered to the Register of Deeds and the chairman of the County Board of Elections.

The chairman of the county boards of elections of New Hanover and Brunswick will meet here to-day week and declare the official vote for State Senator from the Eleventh District, in which Brooke G. Empie, Esq., of this city, had no opposition and will receive the full vote of both Brunswick and New Hanover.

LOCAL DOTS.

— British steamer "Falks," from Wilmington Oct. 12th, for Bremen, arrived out yesterday.

— Mayor Malloy, of Florence, S. C., has resigned his office, effective Dec. 10th, to become travelling representative of a Wilmington firm.

— The telephone alarm of fire at 5:50 o'clock yesterday afternoon was on account of a slight blaze on the roof of a sawdust house at the Cape Fear Lumber mill. The damage was only trifling.

— The local cotton market advanced to 9½ on yesterday. Receipts were 2,154 bales against 3,052 same day last year. Spirits turpentine was steady yesterday at 49½c.

— At the First Baptist Church the W. C. T. U. will hold an important meeting this afternoon at 4 o'clock. Mrs. Wm. Shaw, the newly elected president, will preside and the devotional service will be conducted by Mrs. C. O. Byerly.

— The box for the Lutheran Orphans' Home at Salem will be packed this afternoon. Those desiring to contribute clothing, money or groceries are requested to send the same to the Memorial Building between 3 and 6 o'clock.

— St. Margaret's Guild of Saint James' Episcopal church will give a Japanese tea at the parish house Friday afternoon of this week from 4 to 6:30 and from 7:30 to 9:30. Music and refreshments will be the features. No admission will be charged.

— Sheriff Stedman officially announces elsewhere in to-day's paper that in order to comply with the law in regard to real estate tax collection, he must put advertisement of sale in the hands of the printer by Nov. 15th. All costs will be taken off real estate, personal or poll taxes, however, if paid before that date.

Battle-Miller.

Friends in Wilmington have received the following invitations announcing the forthcoming marriage of two popular young people of Raleigh: "Mr. Richard Henry Battle requests the honor of your presence at the marriage of his daughter, Rosa Ashe, to Dr. Robert Bascom Miller, on the morning of Tuesday, Nov. 15th, 1904, at ten o'clock, at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh, N. C."

Maxton's Station Agent.

Richmond News-Leader: "Fred C. Frostick, station agent for the Seaboard Air Line, in Maxton, N. C., is one of the youngest station agents in this country. He has held his present position over a year, during which he has given entire satisfaction. He is now twenty years old. He started in this office when but 14 or 15 years old as messenger and has worked his way up by his own energy and perseverance."

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

For Heating—Use gas.
Gentleman—To a lady.
Notice—Taxes and cost.
Independent Ice Co.—Dividend.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Gas Radiator—Warm room.
M. C. Darby & Co.—For rent.
Japanese Tea—St. Margaret's Guild.

They cost only a little more than the ready-to-wear suits, but the difference is in fit, style and satisfaction. Ask any one of our hundreds of pleased customers what they think of our cut-to fit garments. A store full of samples to select from. This is the place—"At the Sign of the Golden Arm." I. Shrier's. Anybody will tell you where.

CAROLINA'S VICTORY.

Democratic Majority in the State Is About 50,000 Says Chairman Simmons.

ONE CONGRESSMAN LOST.

Blackburn, Republican, Probably Elected in Eighth—Sixth District Majorities. Brunswick County Safe With Two Possible Exceptions.

[*Special Star Telegrams.*]

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 9.—Latest advices from the eighth, the only district in which there is any doubt of the election of a Democratic Congressman, are to the effect that Blackburn claims that he has defeated Newland, Democrat, by over 1,000. In Surry county, Blackburn has a majority of 200, but it is probable that two precincts in Mt. Airy will be thrown out and eliminate this. Watauga and Ashe give 350 each majority for Blackburn. Democratic State Chairman Simmons says an official count will be necessary to determine who is elected. Newland has a majority of about 1,400 in Rowan and the only hope is that this will overcome the Republican majority in other counties. Democratic Congressmen are certainly elected in the other nine districts. Gudger is safe in the tenth by 1,500 majority. The eighth district is composed of the counties of Alexander, Alleghany, Ashe, Cabarrus, Caldwell, Iredell, Rowan, Stanly, Surry, Watauga and Wilkes.

Chairman Simmons said to night he estimates the Democratic majority in the State at upwards of 50,000. Reports have been received from 72 counties and these, with estimated majorities from the other twenty-five, show 50,860 Democratic majority. Nineteen show Republican majorities aggregating 6,935. Democratic majorities aggregate 57,795. The largest Democratic majority was Mecklenburg, Wake is a close second with about 2,000.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 9.—Both Democrats and Republicans claim the eighth North Carolina Congressional district. Early reports favored W. C. Newland, Democrat, but figures to-night favor E. Spencer Blackburn, Republican. It seems that the majority either way will be about 75 and it will take the official count to decide. All other districts are Democratic and the Democratic State majority will be about 50,000.

A telegram at midnight from Salisbury, in 8th district, from a source to be relied upon, says that Democratic leaders there who have obtained the vote by counties, concede Blackburn's election by 150 to 300 majority.

THE CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Fayetteville, N. C., November 9.—It is estimated that Patterson's majority over Spears in the Sixth Congressional district is 5,000, though the official count may increase that figure to some extent: Robeson gives 1,600, Columbus 1,000, Bladen 700, New Hanover 1,184, Cumberland 700, Harnett 400 and Brunswick about 100; possibly more. N. A. Sinclair is elected to the Senate from this district by fully 600 majority. Sheriff Marsh probably leads the Democratic county ticket in Cumberland.

BRUNSWICK COUNTY.

Southport, Nov. 9.—From best information here early to-night Brunswick has gone Democratic by a small majority, with the exception of Howard C. Curtis for the Legislature, and Capt. R. W. McKeithan, for treasurer, who are defeated by the Republican nominees, C. Ed Taylor and Jackson Stanaland, respectively. The Conservative Democratic ticket cut a small figure in the voting but was the means, perhaps, of causing sufficient deflection to lose the two offices mentioned.

WILSON COUNTY.

Wilson, N. C., Nov. 9.—Wilson county is Democratic by about 915 majority, complete returns being in from all but three small precincts. The election at Old Fields broke up in a row and it is understood that the contents of the ballot box were scattered to the breeze. There were several fights there during the day.

Railroad Files Demurrer.

Through its attorneys, Willcox & Willcox, of Florence, the A. C. L. has filed with the Attorney General of South Carolina its demurrer to the order of the Corporation Commission of the Palmetto State that the fast trains of the company stop at Latta. The case will be argued before Justice Woods at Marion Saturday of this week. The demurrer sets up that the Commission is without power to make the order demurred to and cites authorities and reasons in substantiation of the same.

Largest Cotton Steamer.

Although the record is something over 17,000 bales, the British steamer "Anglo Canadian" cleared last night for Liverpool with the largest cotton cargo of the present season, consisting of 15,783 bales, valued at $840,000 and consigned by Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son. There are left in port three other steamers loading cotton for foreign export.

— Among yesterday's arrivals were Newton Crooke, of Chadbourn; N. E. Armstrong, of Verona; Dr. S. M. Withers, of Chadbourn; Jackson Greer, of Whiteville; E. J. Grimsley, of Freeman, and Jno. W. Daniel, of Norfolk.

Butter Dishes, 5c.; Dippers, 4c.; Pans, 3c.; Cups, 3c. All at Gaylord's Store. †

AFTERNOON HOME WEDDING.

Miss Mary Simpson Powers the Bride of Mr. James Felton Head, Formerly of Florida—Brief Tour North.

One of the prettiest of the Autumn home weddings was that celebrated yesterday afternoon at 5:45 o'clock at the residence of the bride's mother, No. 316 South Second street, when Miss Mary Simpson Powers, the attractive young daughter of Mrs. K. J. Powers, was led to hymen's altar by Mr. James Felton Head and they were made man and wife in a beautiful service, performed by the Rev. J. M. Wells, PhD., pastor of the first Presbyterian church. The parlors of the home were very attractively decorated with a profusion of plants and flowers and were thronged with friends and relatives of the popular young people to the marriage vow.

Miss Cooper, of Wallace, was the bride's maid of honor, and Mr. John Stanley was the groom's best man. The bride wore a lovely costume of white silk and carried an exquisite shower bouquet of roses. The marriage scene was a beautiful one indeed.

After the ceremony the bride and groom received the congratulations of very many friends and at 6:50 o'clock they left on the northbound A. C. L. train for St. Louis to spend their honeymoon at the Exposition. Later they will visit the groom's former home in Florida, returning to make their home in this city in about two weeks.

The bride is a young woman of many personal charms and is much loved and admired in a wide circle of friends. The groom is a popular young employe of the A. C. L. in the office of Mr. W. G. Pulliam in this city. They received a number of very handsome wedding presents, attesting the high esteem in which they are held.

CAPE FEAR GOLF CLUB.

Enthusiastic Annual Meeting Last Night. Election of Officers.

The annual meeting of the Cape Fear Golf Club was held last evening in the parlors of The Orton, Mr. A. S. Williams, presiding, and Mr. George W. Brunson, Jr., present as secretary. The attendance was large and the interest manifested was an augury of one of the best seasons in the club's history for 1904 1905. The following officers were elected:

President—Mr. A. S. Williams.

Vice President—Capt. Donald MacRae.

Secretary and Treasurer—Mr. W. W. Merrell.

Captain of Greens—Mr. John Jay Blair.

Governing Board—Messrs. George Rountree, M. F. H. Gouverneur, C. E. Taylor, Jr., T. M. Emerson, A. S. Williams, Donald MacRae, W. W. Merrell and John Jay Blair.

The club decided, owing to the large increase in membership, to build an addition to the present dressing room for gentlemen at the club house and to make other improvements.

STOLE CRATE OF BEER.

Then for Selling It Without License He Was Further Charged.

John Lewis, a colored driver for the Darley Park Brewery, was arraigned in Justice Fowler's court yesterday, charged with the larceny of a crate of 24 bottles of beer from his employer, on the evening of the 7th. It leaked out from the evidence that the crate of beer had been sold for 75c. to Lizzie Loftin and other colored women, who live on Meadow street. Justice Fowler, in accordance with that evidence, held the negro on the additional count of having retailed intoxicating liquors without a license. He was sent to jail in default of $100 bond in the larceny case and $50 in the case of "retailing."

Election Was Quiet.

As an indication that Wilmington people neither indulged in celebration nor attempted to "drown their sorrow in booze" over the election Tuesday, it may be stated that not a single arrest was made by the police, day or night, and there was not a single offender before the Mayor in the police court yesterday. The record is extraordinary. Yesterday morning Policeman E. L. Smith brought in Arthur Beatty, a top-heavy negro individual, found in Latimer's alley, but there was nothing in Arthur's demeanor to indicate that he was celebrating "Teddy's" triumph; in fact, it is doubtful if he knew that an election was held at all.

Venerable Woman Gone.

Mrs. Sophie King, 73 years of age and a most estimable woman, died Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of her niece, Mrs. Wise, No. 907 Wooster street. The funeral was conducted by Rev. A. McCullen, pastor of Fifth Street M. E. Church, at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon and the remains were laid to rest in Bellevue cemetery. The pall-bearers were Messrs. O. H. Kennedy, E. Giddens, W. H. Hardy and Jno. W. Hewett.

Diphtheria Quarantined.

The Health Department yesterday established a quarantine for diphtheria at 823 South Fifth street, the patient being little Miss Catherine Worth, six years old, daughter of Mrs. Josephine Worth; also another at 514 Chesnut street, the patient being Marion Allen, seven years old.

12 1-3c. Percales. Sale price 9c., at Gaylord's Store. †

12½ 1-3c. Dotted Swiss, at Gaylord's Store, 10c. †

TRIAL FOR HIS LIFE.

Dan Teachey Before a Jury of His Piers in the Duplin Superior Court.

TESTIMONY FOR THE STATE.

Killed Young Robert Rivenbark Near Wallace Last March Year Ago—Only a Few Witnesses Thus Far Heard. Declaration of Dying Man.

[*Special Star Correspondence.*]

Kenansville, N. C., Nov. 9.—Immediately after court convened this morning at 9:30 o'clock the Dan Teachey case was called for trial. It took until 11 o'clock to call and swear the witnesses. Then the State began its testimony.

J. A. Powell, coroner, testified for the State in substance as follows: About March 7th, 1903, I went to Mr. J. T. Rivenbark's, near Wallace, to hold inquest over body of W. Robert Rivenbark. When I got there Drs. Graham and Hatcher had cut the body open and showed me where ball went in stomach and back to backbone, but never came out. Saw some little pieces of cloth which were bloody which doctors had taken from wound. One piece was from half inch to an inch long. Hole in stomach was near centre and little to one side. Cross examination: Don't know whether it was woolen or cotton cloth; don't know color before bloodied; one or two pieces about size of end of pencil. I did not see any ball. Outside edges of cloth were ragged.

Dr. T. R. Hatcher testified: Called to see deceased about 2 o'clock one night in March, 1903, and found him in great agony. After death opened abdomen and traced ball through stomach, pancreas and greater omentum to backbone. Never took out ball or saw it. Found small pieces of cloth, which appear to be like his clothing, in greater omentum. The wound caused his death. Ball went in about an inch from one side of the median line. Cross examination: Intestines were not perforated. Wound was sufficient to produce death.

Don't know distance the man was from deceased. Don't know whether wound was made with pistol, rifle or shot gun. May have been done with slug in shot guns. Hole about size of a pencil. My experience in treatment of gun shot wounds is limited.

J. E. Dixon testified: I live in Duplin, near Pender line, and about 180 yards from place of homicide. I live about two miles from Wallace and three quarters of mile from home of deceased. On the night of the shooting I heard deceased calling "O Jim! come here; come here!" I found him lying in road from Esther Williams, colored, between my house and Esther's, about 25 yards from my house. I asked him what was the matter and he said, "I am shot." I said where? and he said, "through my bowels; I am suffering great pain—the pain of death." He asked me to help him home and get doctor. I called Mr. Harvey Booth and stood there till he came; we went back down road to him, and got down on our knees and he told us both he was shot and wanted to tell us both while in his right mind who shot him. Said, "I am shot to die and am bound to die;" made this statement to both of us. Said Dan Teachey shot him, and he saw him with his own eyes. Said he went to house to get Esther to work strawberries and when he came out Dan asked him "what the devil are you doing here?" and the deceased said, "nothing, Dan, but come to get women to work strawberries." He then shot.

We then got a conveyance and carried him home. He had on black clay worsted clothes. When he got home he called his mother and told her he was shot to die and Dan shot him without cause or reason and said he had come home to her his last time. Cross-examined: Robt. Rivenbark did not tell me and his mother that he wrote Esther a note while in the house; did not state that he said "come on, Esther, let's go," when he left; did not state that he carried a bottle of whiskey to the house that night, but Rivenbark sent Jos. Stokes there next morning for whiskey and we found a bottle of whiskey on the ditch bank, near Esther's house.

The purpose of this examination on the part of the defendant seemed to be to show that the deceased went to the house for other purposes than to hire laborers and that in his dying declarations he had concealed and held back the truth and that declarations should be discredited. This closed the evidence up to 3 P. M. today.

INDEPENDENT ICE COMPANY.

Flourishing Wilmington Enterprise Elects Officers and Declares Dividend.

The third annual meeting of the stockholders of the Independent Ice Company was held last night at the office of the president. Mr. W. E. Springer was called to the chair and Mr. R. W. Wallace to act as secretary. Of the $40,000 stock in the corporation, $39,000 was represented either in person or by proxy.

The stockholders received the reports of the manager and secretary and treasurer, both of which showed a most satisfactory year's business and an encouraging outlook. The old Board of Directors was re-elected as follows: J. A. Springer, W. E. Springer, L. H. Simmons, R. W. Wallace, D. H. Penton, W. E. Perdew and W. G. Whitehead. The Directors subsequently met and re-elected:

President—J. A. Springer.
Vice President—W. E. Springer.
General Manager—L. H. Simmons.
Secretary and Treasurer—R. W. Wallace.

The Board of Directors declared a dividend of 10 per cent. upon the capital stock of the company, due and payable at the office of the treasurer on and after Nov. 15th. The company, although only three years of age, ranks first among Wilmington's enterprises. Its management has been characterized by progress and its career has been phenomenal.

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BIG COMEDY PRODUCTION.

An Artistic Triumph Is Promised in W. L. I. Dramatic Club Bill in Academy This Evening—Sale of Seats.

The big society comedy production, "Home Ain't Nothin' Like This," at the Academy of Music this evening by the Wilmington Light Infantry Dramatic Club promises to eclipse even the former brilliant efforts of that gifted organization of thespians. The piece is one of the best yet attempted by the Club and is a well lubricated vehicle for three hours of wholesome fun and bright conversation. The rehearsals have been frequent and thorough; the lines have fallen into most capable hands and undoubtedly [illegible] expect something [illegible] catchy and interesting. The W. L. I. Dramatic Club does not base its claim upon the public patronage upon the auspices—worthy as they may be—under which it will play, but the management promises something really meritorious and pleasing.

The advance sale of seats opened yesterday morning at Plummer's and when asked last night as to "how they are going," a smile of satisfaction lit up the countenance of Business Manager E. A. Metts. He said that several hundred had already been sold but there were a few desirable ones still left which would certainly go to-day, for Wilmington people know a good thing when they see it. The "Standing Room Only" sign will not create any surprise if it is found dangling out of the box office at the theatre early this evening. The doors will open at 7:30 o'clock and the performance will begin promptly at 8:30. The last full rehearsal took place last night and it went off superbly. From an artistic standpoint solely, no one can afford to miss the production this evening. Seats may be reserved at Plummer's until six o'clock this evening.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Dr. J. Harry Honnet has returned from New York.

— Among last night's arrivals was Mr. J. W. Norwood, the well known banker of Greenville, S. C.

— Miss Jessie Stevens, of Southport, was here yesterday, going to Newbern to visit her brothers.

— Rev. Hight C. Moore, formerly of Newbern but now of Raleigh, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

— Mr. J. T. Cumber, the veteran watchman at the A. C. L. shops, is able to be up again after a week's illness.

— Capt. C. M. Funk, of the Atlantic Coast Line Construction Department, arrived last night on a business trip.

— R. G. Grady, Esq., has returned from Kenansville, where he has been convalescing from a ten week's illness with fever.

— Mrs. George B. McLeod and little son, Master George B., Jr., of Lumberton, were here yesterday, guests at The Orton.

— Miss Nannie Coney, of Savannah, Ga., is in the city, the guest of her cousin, Mrs. C. D. Weeks, No. 12 North Eighth street.

LOOKING AFTER THE SHOWS.

Railroad People in Richmond Monday to Get Forepaugh's Business.

Tuesday's Richmond Times-Dispatch has the following of interest:

"Railroad passenger traffic representatives are gathered in considerable number in this city on account of the show here yesterday of the Forepaugh-Sells Brothers' shows and the prospective early disbandment of that aggregation for the season. The great shows will go to Norfolk, thence to Petersburg, and then to North Carolina points, and will end the show season at Tarboro on November 19th. With the circus are from 500 to 600 employes. Those homes are scattered all over the United States. The enterprising passenger men from many lines are hustling for this passenger traffic, and many passenger agents will follow the shows on the remainder of their season's circuit, so as to be in it at the finish. The man on the ground will get the bulk of the long distance travel while his competing road's representatives are away. The agents of the local roads were yesterday looking after their several interests, and a number of out-of-town passenger men were here on the same mission. Some of those in the city in this connection are: M. F. Braff, of Roanoke, traveling passenger agent of the Norfolk and Western; Nathan Weill, traveling passenger agent of the southeastern district of the Pennsylvania; W. S. Bronston, traveling passenger agent of the Pennsylvania lines, and a number of others. The Seaboard Air Line Railway will take the show trains to Petersburg, and then they will take the Norfolk and Western to Norfolk and back to Petersburg, and thence the circus goes southward over the Atlantic Coast Line.

Dr. Strange in Newbern.

Newbern Journal: "Rt. Rev. Robert Strange, D. D., Bishop Coadjutor, was in the city over Sunday, leaving here last night for Elizabeth City. Sunday Bishop Strange held services morning and evening in Christ church, and in the afternoon in St. Cyprians, large congregations greeting him at all the services. The sermons were strong and masterful ones, the Bishop holding his hearers with his eloquence, and beyond the eloquence of his language were the great scriptural doctrine and divine injunctions, which were expressed in terms of force and sincerity, revealing thought and a consecration of purpose in their utterance. Bishop Strange made a forceful impression here. It was his first service in his capacity as bishop, and there can be no doubt that he will prove an able successor to Bishop Watson and greatly develop and build up the work in this diocese."

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GREAT SHAKESPEREAN REVIVAL.

Mr. John Griffith to be Seen Here in "Macbeth" Saturday Evening.

The only offering at the Academy of Music for ten days, other than the W. L. I. production to-morrow night, will be Mr. John Griffith, the eminent tragedian, in a big revival of Shakespeare's immortal play of "Macbeth," on Saturday evening. The sale of seats begins at Plummer's this morning and, by special arrangement, there will be no advance in prices. The Asheville Citizen of Nov. 1st, says of the production:

Those who failed to see John Griffith's initial appearance (as far as Asheville is concerned) in "Macbeth" last night missed one of the theatrical events of the season. It may be that Asheville theatrical patrons do not take kindly to Shakespearean plays, hence the small audience, but the fact remains that Mr. Griffith's interpretation of "Macbeth" is equal to any star now on the American boards. The chief strength of Mr. Griffith's acting lies in the fact that he does not strain after effects. In the hands of less capable actors it often happens that the beauty and effectiveness of Shakespeare's works are practically murdered, but at no time last night did the young star imperil the merit of his work. It was in the third act, the banquet scene, that Mr. Griffith rose to the height of his art. His effort at that time was superb and richly deserved the hearty applause which greeted it.

Miss Louise Ripley, as Lady Macbeth did not suffer by the lustre of Mr. Griffith's work. She reached the audience in the first act in and held it till the close Miss Ripley, addition to unusual personal charms, possesses a voice of great range, and her enunciation was at all times perfect. She is a finished actress, and her work last night left nothing to be desired. It was in the fourth act that Mr. Edward P. Sullivan, as "Macduff" sprung a surprise on the audience. In lines that called or strong emotional work he rose to the occasion and displayed talents fully in keeping with the splendid work of Mr. Griffith and Miss Ripley. The stage settings and costumes were of high order and contributed materially to the success of the evening. At the end of the fifth act "Macbeth" was called before the curtain and he made a happy speech in which he expressed extreme gratitude for the reception accorded him. There is no doubt that Mr. Griffith and his excellent company will be warmly welcomed on their return visit here.

FOREPAUGH IN RICHMOND.

What Virginians Thought of Big Shows Coming Here on the 15th.

Here is what Richmond thought of the Forepaugh & Sells Brothers' Shows in that city Monday as expressed in yesterday's News-Leader:

The big Forepaugh-Sells Brothers' circus, which drove its tent pegs here Sunday morning, paraded yesterday forenoon, gave an afternoon and night performance and hurried off for Norfolk last night and left in its wake a general feeling of satisfaction and pleasure, if one is to judge from the tone of expressions heard to-day. Not a kick was to be found, and there wasn't a disappointing feature of the whole proceeding.

Despite the low temperature last night about 7,000 persons attended the show, and [illegible] few went away before the performance was over on account of cold feet, they felt that they had "seen their money's worth" over and over 'ere they left. The afternoon performance was also to a packed tent.

To say nothing of the side shows, of which there were many well worth seeing, one was agreeably surprised and gratified from the time he passed through the main entrance and around the menagerie to the time he left his seat. The newest features to Richmonders probably were the two breath-holding bicycle acts, the passing of aerial acrobats en route from one trapeze to another in mid-air, the "houchee-kouchee" a la horse, and the meeting and turning in air of the stage acrobats. The trapeze work all through was excellent, as was that of the trained elephants, horses, dogs and other animals.

The fake photographer probably caused more genuine merriment than any other one of the many good fun-makers. To the writer's knowledge there were persons present who hadn't had a good laugh for many days, but who cracked the ice on this individual, who posed the gullible ones as they came in and then left them standing to be laughed at as he sought other victims.

On the whole the circus passed off smoothly and pleasantly, and it is safe to say that the Forepugh-Sells Brothers' show will be good for an enthusiastic reception when it comes along again.

A notice of the show could hardly be printed properly without some mention of J. H. Davis, the courteous and friendmaking press representative. There is less hyperbole and self asseriveness in Mr. Davis, on whom rests the big responsibility of advertising the gigantic show, than one can pick up any day in persons of much smaller calibre. In fact, one would have to see Mr. Davis in some other character than he was seen here to discover any of the qualities mentioned.

Fruit Loom Bleaching, 7c.; Mennen's Talcum Powder, 10c—at Gaylord's. †

Brush Binding, at Gaylord's Store, 4c. yard. †

USE GAS FOR Heating.

ASK FOR THE NEW WELSBACH LIGHT.

See the Gas Co.

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Dividend Notice.

Wilmington, N. C., November 9th, 1904.
Office of the
Independent Ice Company.

The Board of Directors of the Independent Ice Co. have declared a dividend of Ten (10) per cent. on the Capital Stock of that Company. Dividend due and payable at office of the Company on and after Nov. 15th, 1904.

The transfer books will be closed from Nov. 1st to Nov. 15th, inclusive.

R. W. WALLACE,
Treasurer.
nov 10 1t

What Is It

That the people of "Wilmington "have needed for years?

A GOOD "CAFE."

Where is it?

THE "DELMONICO,"

opposite Postoffice.

CALL AND BE CONVINCED.
no 2 3m

NOTICE.

We have moved our Store to 125 and 127 Market street. Friends and customers will please call on us there.

Wilmington Grocery Co.,
Jno. L. Boatwright, Manager.
no 2 tf

WILMINGTON LIGHT INFANTRY

presenting the humorous four act comedy,

'Home Ain't Nothin' Like This."

Academy of Music,

THURSDAY, NOV. 10, 1904.

Box sheet opens Tuesday, Nov. 8, at J. W. Plummer's.
Admission $1, 75 and 50c.
"Stay away and you'll be lonesome."
no 5 5t

REMOVAL.

We have moved to our new office on our shipping depot, "Waterland," between the A. C. L. and S. A. L. depots, and cordially invite our friends and patrons to call and see our extensive stock and unrivalled facilities for handling business. Respectfully,

HALL & PEARSALL,
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200 Barrels

September Mullets.

A full line of Groceries.

Prices and samples on application.

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Taxes and Cost.

To comply with the law in regard to Real Estate I am compelled to put advertisement in hands of the printer by November 15th. All cost will be taken off of Real Estate, Personal or Poll Taxes if paid before this date.

FRANK H. STEDMAN, sheriff.
(Messenger and Dispatch copy.) nov 10 1t

The Morning Star.

WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

THURSDAY MORNING, NOV. 10.

WHAT ABOUT THE LANDSLIDE.

When the sun went down on Tuesday the Democrats of Wilmington felt sore from the disquieting news from New York that the Democracy had suffered another national defeat. By 8:30 P. M. the messages by wire and telephone from the two party headquarters at New York and Washington convinced them that the defeat was overwhelming and crushing. The election lost interest and the resigned adherents of Judge Parker loitered in the streets or retired to their homes without further interest in the particulars.

The victory for Rooseveltism, Cortelyouism and trustism was complete, as the latest returns show. The popular verdict at the polls means an overwhelming endorsement of Roosevelt's administration and the platform of the Republican party. The people voted to continue an unreasonable protective tariff, and approved of the extravagant national expenditures of the party in power They give license to the administration to continue its policy in the Philippines, endorse the National hold-up in Panama, and commit themselves to the imperial and colonial schemes of the Republican party. The big majority for Roosevelt indicates that the people will help him to carry the big stick and authorizes the Republican powers that be to go ahead with its greater navy and bigger army scheme. The verdict endorses sectionalism, and the sections practically divided on that question, the North voting solidly for cutting down Southern representation according to the Roosevelt-Lodge plan of defying the decisions of the United States Supreme Court. The vote means that the people do not believe, or do not care, that money controls their elections. The people have said by their vote that it was all right for Roosevelt to dine with Booker T. Washington, appoint the negro Dr. Crum collector of the port at Charleston in spite of the protests of the business men of that city, and override the rights of the people of Mississippi in the Indianola postoffice affair.

The consolation which we draw from the defeat is that the South in a solid phalanx repudiated Roosevelt. He was the main issue below Mason and Dixon's line, and considering his attitude to the South, it is a cause of great gratification that the South was true to itself. Our main regret is that the lofty Parker had to take his defeat with the party whose standard he bore aloft without a stain. The campaign proved that he was on a high moral level as a statesman and is unmatched in manhood and correct in his standard of Democracy. There was a great gulf betwixt him and Roosevelt in moral judgment and statesmanship and he occupied the eminence that overlooked the gulf and the other man. Judge Parker made a manly, fearless and conscientious fight upon the National Democratic platform, and there are none but who can stand up and say, "There is a man."

The Republicans have elected their president, have elected a congress with from forty to fifty majority, and elected legislatures that will return an increased majority to the United States Senate. They have got the whole shooting match, and can legislate with recklessness, issue executive orders ad nauseum, and big stick to the limit.

What were the elements of the Titanic defeat of the Democracy? Let the wiseacres tell that, and there will be plenty of them rushing into the limelight with their budget of reasons. We leave it to them.

We will even have disquisitions and prophecies on the disintegration of the Democratic party and all about new party alignments. Already the organizers of a social Democracy are at work. The Hon. William J. Bryan some months ago printed in "The Commoner" his platform along that line, upon which he proposes to go into an organization for the national contest in 1908. Before the election news got hot on the wires Tuesday night the dispatches announced that Col. Bryan, Tom Watson and William Randolph Hearst will hold a confer. ference in New York to formulate new party lines or organize a new party.

We are committed to the belief that such a political movement will be undertaken, but the Democratic party will be on deck in 1908, by which time undreampt of issues may arise that will make the party stronger than ever. The future is full of interest, and that we can all expect.

The gold brick supply is totally inadequate for the demands if Roosevelt't big majority really beieves that the trusts subscribed their money with innocent intentions and hopeless recklessness.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— It is a safe bet that the trusts will be with the winners.—Washington Post.

—— The "I told you so" fellow will begin to morrow taking his chances of provoking an assault.—Washington Post.

—— Judging from its recent performance the Cabinet is regarded by the President as his private stable of high class orators.—Baltimore Sun.

—— Mr. Roosevelt has viciously assailed nearly every President of the United States, but how his champions do squeal when anyone criticises him.—Memphis Commercial-Appeal.

—— The fellow who is running with the hare and holding with the hounds in a political campaign is fooling himself if he thinks he is fooling anybody else.—Bristol (Va.) Courier.

—— There appears to be some ground to suspect that the Department of Commerce was created in order to teach bright young men how to milk trusts.—Dallas (Texas) News.

——Mr. Root says there were 2,000 individual contributors to the Republican campaign fund. Mr. Cortelyou places the number at 4,000. Treasurer Bliss might let us know the facts in the case.—Washington Post.

—— It is very naughty, no doubt, but the American people have a great liking for the "big stick." The more it has been exploited as a campaign issue the more enthusiastic the country has become for Roosevelt.—Kansas City Journal.

—— The Republicans got up a cock-and-bull story about a man named Smythe going down to Panama to get up a revolution. The one-man revolution is purely a Republican creation.—Charleston News and Courier.

—— That New Jersey soldier who married a negress and who points to the example set by Commander-in-Chief Roosevelt as full justification for his ideas of social equality seems to have forgotten that "What in the captain's a mere choleric word, is in the soldier rank blasphemy."—Augusta Chronicle.

——As the steam engine succeeded the hand crank and the twine binder pushed into obscurity the poetic scythe, so the voting machine, being as clearly a step in advance, will drive out the blanket ballot. The man who likes to boost progress whenever he can will give his support to the voting machine proposition on the "little ballot."—Chicago News.

TWINKLINGS.

— Jones (at the bank)—Must I be identified? Teller—Not unless you wish—the check is no good!—Town Topics.

— "What makes you think the dog used to belong to a woman?" "It appears to want to be carried and kissed all the time."

— When you hear a girl has aspirations to be a great actress it is a sign she may get in the chorus if she is built that way.—New York Press.

— "Why are you angry at your son-in-law? Can't he live within his income?" "Why, the young villain can't live within mine!"—Houston Post.

— Rosie—I wonder if it is true that one is likely to catch something from being kissed? Maud—Of course not. You've been kissed enough, but you havn't caught anything yet, have you?—Chicago Journal.

— "I tried to palm off that cheap butter of yours on my boarders," said Mrs. Starvem, "but it wouldn't work." "No?" said the dealer. "No. I think we might very properly say it was too strong to work."—Philadelphia Press.

The Igorrotes were preparing to call on the President. "I think," said one chief, "that I'll go incognito." "No you won't either," interrupted the official in charge, hastily. "No monkey business now. You'll wear pantaloons just like the rest of 'em."—Houston Chronicle.

— Chimer—I'm surprised that you should speak so unkindly of Miss Gushington. She speaks well of you. She was telling me you loaned her a book of verses, and she thought them lovely. Rimer—Yes, so she told me; but when she returned the book the pages were still uncut.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

— In Kansas two old farmers were sitting on a fence enjoying the morning breeze. Suddenly there was a blur in the highway. "I swan, Sile," said one, "what was that thar red streak that just shot past?" "That thar was an automobile," responded Sile. "And what was the blue streak?" "That was the man that got hit swearing."—Exchange.

Doesn't Respect Old Age.

It's shameful when youth fails to show proper respect for old age, but just the contrary in the case of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They cut off maladies no matter how severe and irrespective of old age. Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Fever and Constipation all yield to this perfect pill. Only 25c, at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

THERE IS ONE RATIONAL WAY to treat nasal catarrh: the medicine is applied direct to the affected membrane. The remedy is Ely's Cream Balm. It restores the inflamed tissues to a healthy state without drying all the life out of them and it gives back the lost senses of taste and smell. The sufferer who is tired of vain experiments should use Cream Balm. Druggists sell it for 50 cts. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York, will mail it.

For Over Sixty Years'

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over 60 years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. Itl soothes the child, softens the gums, aleays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhœa. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— The registration books at Spencer show a remarkable condition in that there are 240 registered voters, and every one white.

— William McMillan, a negro is in jail at Fayetteville charged with first degree burglary, he having broken into the house of another negro in that city one night last week and stolen a jug of whiskey.

— The Freedman's Aid and Education Society, in session at Manchester, N. H., on Monday discussed industrial work in the South and voted appropriations to colored schools of collegiate grade. Bennett College, Greensboro, N. C., will get $2,600.

— Robbers blew open the safe in the postoffice at Bear Creek at 2 o'clock Sunday morning and secured between $50 and $76 in cash. A good many stamps were damaged but none missing. A package containing over $200 was overlooked. The suspected parties are two unknown white men that had been loafing around for a day or two.

— Raleigh Times: A most systematic effort is being made to raise funds for the reformatory for young white criminals. It is really to be a training school. The site is at Lakeview, in Moore county. It is absolutely necessary to raise a few thousand dollars before the end of the year. The King's Daughters and Sons in North Carolina have taken this up as their State work.

— Raleigh News and Observer: William Jennings Bryan remains the greatest living American and the truest exponent of Democracy. He has grown since the St. Louis convention upon the whole country and has to-day, as never before, the heart of the Democratic masses. For President in 1908, William Jennings Bryan; for Vice President, Chas. B. Aycock. Platform, down with the trusts. Why not?

— A dispatch from Kinston says: A sad accident occurred at the home of Mr. Hardy Cade Saturday evening that resulted in the death of his six-year-old son. The two brothers, one ten years old and the other six, were playing with a double-barrel shotgun, when the larger boy said he would show the little fellow how to shoot it and, not knowing it was loaded, pointed the gun in the direction of his younger brother and pulled the trigger. The entire load took effect in the little fellow's thigh and tore a large hole in it, death resulting from the shock six hours later.

— Tarboro Southerner: Jas. Freeman, Saturday, in a passion struck at his wife and killed his own infant in her arms. Freeman and his brother, it is said, had a difficulty in which his wife interfered to stop the altercation. This so incensed him that he struck at his wife with a gun, which struck the child in her arms, killing it. All are colored. Paul Jones, attorney for the county, upon the information reaching him, swore out a warrant before 'Squire Watson, charging Freeman with the killing. If arrested he will be brought here and given a preliminary trial.

— A dispatch from Fayetteville on Tuesday says: There was a mysterious homicide in the western part of the county last night. A negro festival was held at a school house. The crowd was sober and there was no quarrelling or fighting. On the departure of the crowd, the lights were put out, when a pistol shot was fired and a negro relighted the candle and exclaimed "Good God! Here is Walter Mainor lying dead!" The negro was stretched on the floor, with a bullet through his breast. There is no clue so far to the slayer or the cause of the homicide.

— Wake county gave a big Democratic majority. The Raleigh News and Observer says: Such scratching as was indulged in was aimed chiefly at the National tickets by the classes of voters below referred to. The Republican boast of the impending scratching of Judge Francis Winston failed utterly to be carried out. Only one or two instances were mentioned in the entire city of the candidate for Lieutenant Governor haying been scratched. The splitting of tickets was almost entirely by negroes who voted the Democratic State and county tickets as revenge for their exclusion from the conventions by the office holding class of the party, and by old line Republicans who scratched Roosevelt on account of his negro policy. There were only one or two cases in which the Democratic candidate for governor was scratched and these were almost without exception in the case of Republicans who were scratching certain of the candidates of their party. Democrats voted early and straight.

— Next week Senator Nelson M. Aldrich and a party of a dozen New England capitalists will visit North Carolina. They come at the invitation of Mr. R. S. Howland, president of the Howland Improvement Company, lessee of the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad. At Goldsboro the distinguished party will be joined by Governor Charles B. Aycock and his secretary, Colonel Pearsall, and Attorney General Gilmer. Senators Simmons and Overman and Representatives Thomas and Small will also become members of the party at Goldsboro and remain with Senator Aldrich during his stay in Eastern North Carolina. Two days, Sunday and Monday, will be spent at the Atlantic Hotel at Morehead City, during which time Beaufort, Fort Macon, Cape Lookout and other points of interest will be visited. Tuesday morning, the party will start on its return North, leaving Goldsboro at 1:35 P. M. One of the principal efforts of Mr. Howland will be to secure the improvement of Beaufort harbor, and bring about the development of the country through which the A. & N. C. Railroad run.

Disastrous Wrecks.

Carelessness is responsible for many a railway wreck, and the same causes are making human wrecks of sufferers from throat and lung troubles. But since the advent of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, even the worst cases can be cured, and hopeless resignation is no longer necessary. Mrs. Lois Cragg, of Dorchester, Mass., is one of many whose life was saved by Dr. King's New Discovery. This great remedy is guaranteed for all Throat and Lung diseases by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. Price 50 cents and $1.00. Trial bottles free. †

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Wilmington Has Found It Hard to Shake Off.

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Is any itching skin complaint,
Eczema or Itching Piles.
Doan's Ointment relieves and cures.
All itchiness of the skin.

Wilmington people endorse this statement:

C. H. Horton, printer on the MORNING STAR, residing at 109½ Dock street, says: "I had a rash on my body which had been bothering me for some time and often almost set me wild. I used lots of medicine and remedies but without relief until I procured Doan's Ointment from Bellamy's drug store. I found it to be most excellent. I do not believe it was ten minutes after I applied it before I had relief. I am glad to let others know of an effective preparation like Doan's Ointment proved to be in my case."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

THE SPIRIT OF INDIA.

Time Is of No Account In the Rearing of Tombs and Temples.

The ancient temples and tombs of India with their intricate carving are the marvel of all who see them, says the author of "Cities of India," and the wonder of the beholder grows when he realizes that the enormous blocks of marble and sandstone have been dragged, by hand in many cases, up steep and lofty cliffs.

Some years ago Mr. Forrest, while walking through a remote village of the Deccan, noticed a large stone pillar, richly carved, lying by the roadside. He asked the origin and destination of the monolith. It was for the porch of a temple on the brow of a precipice two miles away, overlooking the hamlet.

"The villagers drag it," said the head officer of the place, "on great festival days. In my lifetime, sahib, they have moved it 100 yards. And see how much carving they have done."

He pointed to some eight inches of wonderful decoration. The officer was nearly fifty years of age, and the traveler looked in astonishment, wondering how long before the pillar would complete its journey. An old Brahman standing by noticed his expression.

"You English are in such a hurry," he said. "There are the ages of brass and the age of iron. They come and they go. Others have come and gone their way, and so will you. But the pillar will reach the temple."

His reply was the spirit of ancient India, which takes no heed of today, but, having set about the construction of such a monument, goes steadily at work, satisfied to devote a thousand years to it if the temple be worthy to endure when it is done.

LEFT HANDED CHILDREN.

Do Not Try to Force Them to Become Right Handed.

I have never seen anything but bad results from the attempt to train children to use the right hand instead of the left when there is a decided tendency or habit to be left handed. Moreover, the attempt is never successful.

The best consequences are poor and are only awkward mixtures of the two forms, which yield confusions and indecisions during the entire subsequent life. One is that of a naturally left handed friend who, by arduous and continuous training during his childhood, was compelled to write with his right hand. For all other acts he is left handed, but he cannot use his left hand for writing. Although now past fifty he has always hated any writing, the mere act of doing so, and he cannot do any original thinking while writing. He is for this purpose compelled to rely on a stenographer, and then his ideas flow freely and rapidly. If he tries to think, plan or devise and to write at the same time there is a positive inhibition of thought and he must make sketches, epitomes, several efforts, copyings, etc., in a painful and most unsatisfactory manner. The attempt at ambidexterity has been a lifelong obstacle to him in his professional progress.

The chief centers most closely interrelated in writing and thinking are thus demonstrably better harmonized when in one side of the brain. The mechanics of neurology are plainly less difficult than could be achieved by any foolish and unsuccessful ambidexterity.—Dr. G. M. Gould in Science.

Getting Back at Whistler.

J. MacNeill Whistler had a French poodle of which he was extravagantly fond. This poodle was seized with an affection of the throat, and Whistler had the audacity to send for the great throat specialist, Mackenzie. Sir Morell, when he saw that he had been called in to treat a dog, didn't like it much, it was plain. But he said nothing. He prescribed, pocketed a big fee and drove away. The next day he sent posthaste for Whistler, and Whistler, thinking he was summoned on some matter concerning his beloved dog, dropped his work and rushed like the wind to Mackenzie's. On his arrival Sir Morell said gravely: "How do you do, Mr. Whistler? I wanted to see you about having my front door painted."—Collier's Weekly.

Promised Not to Be Contaminated.

Frances had been brought up in a strict Presbyterian household, and in all her nine years had never attended service in a church of another denomination. While on a visit with her mother to a part of the country far from her own home she entered the parlor one Saturday afternoon and eagerly asked: "Oh, mamma, may I go to the 'Piscopal church with Gertie tomorrow? I'll promise not to believe a single word the minister says!"—Lippincott's Magazine.

Midwinter Exposition and Florida State Fair, Tampa, Fla., Nov. 14-21.

On account of the above occasion, the Atlantic Coast Line will sell tickets from Wilmington, N. C., to Tampa, Fla., at $31.75 for the round trip. Tickets on sale Nov. 15th, good returning before Nov. 30th. Privilege of stopping off at stations south of Jacksonville will be allowed on the going trip. For full information call on the ticket agent, or H. M. Emerson, Traffic Manager. W. J. Craig, G. P. A., Wilmington, N. C.

Football Game, Richmond, Va., Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 24, 1904.

On account of the above occasion the Atlantic Coast Line will sell tickets from Wilmington, N. C., to Richmond, Va., and return for $8.05. Tickets on sale Nov. 23rd, good on trains arriving in Richmond before noon of Nov. 24th. Good returning to destination on or before Nov. 24th, 1904. For full information call on ticket agent, or W. J. Craig, G. P. A., H. M. Emerson, Traffic Manager, Wilmington, N. C.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, November 9.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady at 49½c per gallon.

ROSIN—Nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm at $1.60 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $2.30 per barrel for hard, $3.80 for dip, $3.80 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm at 56½c; rosin firm at $2.20; tar firm at $1.80; crude turpentine firm at $2.25@3.80.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	12
Rosin	96
Tar	37
Crude turpentine	91

Receipts same day last year—37 casks spirits turpentine, 190 barrels rosin, 120 barrels tar, 153 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market steady at 9⅝c per pound for middling.

Same day last year, market firm at 10⅛c for middling.

Receipts—2,154 bales; same day last year, 3,052.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina (new crop, firm. Prime, 80c; extra prime, 85c; fancy, 90c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 65c; extra prime, 70c; fancy, 75c. Spanish, 70@75c.

CORN—Firm; 60@65c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 14@15c per pound; shoulders, 11c; sides, 11c.

EGGS—Dull at 20c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 30@35c; springs, 15@25c.

TURKEYS—Firm. Live, 12½c; dressed, 15@16c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 50@60c per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2@3c per pound.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—Money on call steady at 2¼@2¾ per cent.; closing bid 2 per cent.; offered at 2¼ per cent.; time loans easy, dull; sixty days 3¼@4 per cent; ninety days 3¾@4 per cent.; six months 3¾@4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4@4½ per ct. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills 486.40@486.45 for demand and 483.60@483.70 for sixty day bills. The posted rates were 484½ and 487. Commercial bills were 483¼. Bar silver 58. Mexican dollars 46¼. U. S. refunding 2's, 104¼; do. coupon, 104¼; U. S. coupon, 104¾; U. S. 3's, registered, 104¾; U. S. refunding 3's. 4's, new, registered, 130½; U. S. 4's, new, coupon, 130½; U. S. 4's, old, reg'd, 106½; do. coupon, 106½; Atlantic Coast Line 4's, 98¼; Louisville & Nashville, unified 4's, 102¼; Norfolk & Western consol 4's —; Seaboard Air Line 4's 84; Southern Railway 5's, 118¼. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 95¼; Chesapeake & Ohio 44⅞; Manhattan L 162½; New York Central 135¼; Reading 76⅜; do. 1st pref'd, 87; do. 2nd pref'd 79⅝; Southern Railway 35¼; do. pref'd 94⅝; Amalgamated Copper 74½; People's Gas 108⅜; Tennessee Coal and Iron 69½; U. S. Leather 13⅜; U. S. Leather preferred, 92⅜; Western Union 91; U. S. Steel 26⅞; do. preferred 84⅞; Mexican Central 19; Virginia Carolina Chemical, 38; sales — shares; do. preferred, closed 110¼; sales — shares. Standard Oil 644.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 16⅝@17; do. preferred, 34@34¼; do. bonds, fours, —; Atlantic Coast Line, common, 140¼@141; do. preferred —.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—Rosin steady. Strained common to good $2 90. Spirits turpentine weak.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 9.—Spirits turpentine and rosin—nothing doing.

SAVANNAH, Nov. 9.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 50c; receipts 580 casks; sales 932 casks; exports — casks. Rosin was firm; receipts 1,560 barrels; sales 2,258 bbls; exports — bbls. A, B, C, $2 52½; D, $2 57½; E, $2 60; F, $2 65; G, $2 70; H, $2 75; I, $3 25; K, $3 75; M, $4 25; N, $4 50; W G, $4 75; W W, $5 00.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—The cotton market opened firm at an advance of three to five points in response to firmer Liverpool cables and talk of a better general demand following the election; but it soon became evident that considerable cotton had been bought on the theory of higher prices after the election, and this came out on the slight opening bulge, while it also appeared that leading Wall street bear interests were hammering the market. Trading at first was fairly active, but as prices sagged off, became less so, and the total business for the day was estimated at only about 175,000 bales.

There was enough covering by room shorts in the last few minutes to give the market a steady tone at the close. Liverpool eased off after the local opening and New Orleans was also eased off with the local market and sent selling orders here. Wire houses with Southern connections sold on the opening bulge but were buyers later in the session.

Prices touched the highest point on or immediately after the call and while fluctuations later in the session were more or less irregular, the close was at practically the lowest or a net decline of eleven to twelve points.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—Cotton was quiet at 10.15c; net receipts 260 bales; gross receipts 5,932 bales; stock 88,880 bales.

Spot cotton closed quiet at 10 points decline; middling uplands 10.15; middling gulf 10.40c; sales 24 bales.

Futures market closed steady: November 9.59, December 9.78, January 9.88, February 9.94, March 9.98, April 10.03, May 10.08, June 10.07, July 10.12.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 50,592 bales; exports to Great Britain 8,478 bales; exports to France 204 bales; exports to the Continent 14,320 bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico — bales; stock 913,361 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 253,479 bales; exports to Great Britain 64,400 bales; exports to France 8,750 bales; exports to Continent 44,132 bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico — bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 3,343,311 bales; exports to Great Britain 1,101,870 bales; exports to France 260,407 bales; exports to the Continent 802,474 bales; exports to Japan 19,840 bales; exports to Mexico 6,901 bales.

Nov. 9.—Galveston, easy at 9⅝c, net receipts 16,508 bales; Norfolk, nominal, net receipts 3,829 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 9.75, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 10.25, net receipts 141 bales; Wilmington, steady at 9 5 16, net receipts 2,154 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 10.40, net receipts 1,200 bales; Savannah, firm at 9⅝c, net receipts 8,641 bales; New Orleans, quiet at 9 11 16c, net receipts 11,795 bales; Mobile, easy at 9⅝c, net receipts 1,361 bales; Memphis, steady at 9 11-16c, net receipts 4,259 bales; Augusta, steady at 9 3 16c, net receipts 3,351 bales; Charleston, firm at 9⅛c, net receipts, 803 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—Flour was steady but inactive. Rye flour firm. Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red $1 21¼. Options—There was a modest election boom in wheat to-day. The market closed very firm at 1⅛c net advance; May closed $1 14¼; July closed $1 02⅜; December closed $1 18⅜. Corn—Spot strong; No. 2 64½c nominal, f.o.b. afloat. Options advanced on firm cables, the close being ⅜c net higher; Sales included: May closed 52⅜; December 59⅜c. Oats—Spot steady; mixed, 26@32 pounds, 34½@35½c. Lard steady; Western steam $7 50; November closed $7 50, nominal; refined firm; continent $7 75. Tallow dull. Cabbages steady; per barrel crate 50@75c. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton, by steamer, 10@15c. Rice steady. Peanuts quoted dull; fancy hand-picked 5@5½c; other domestic grades 3@6½c. Sugar—Raw was quoted firm; fair refining 3½c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4 7-16; molasses sugar 3⅝; refined firm. Butter firm; creamery held at 22½@23. Molasses steady. Cheese strong; State, full cream, small colored and white fancy, September 11½c, do. large colored fancy, September 10¾. Eggs firm; State, Pennsylvania, and nearby selected white, extra 28@29. Rice steady. Potatoes steady; Long Island, in bulk, per 180 lbs, $1 75@2 00; State and Western $1 25@1 50: Jersey sweets $1 50@2 25. Cotton seed oil was firm on light offerings. Prime crude, f. o. b. mills, 20c; prime summer yellow 27¼ 27½c; off summer yellow nominal; prime white and winter yellow 30@31.

CHICAGO, Nov. 9.—Strength in corn, due to a scarcity of the cash article, caused a net advance of 1 to 1¼ c. in wheat for both December and May deliveries. Corn is up 2¼ to 2½c. Oats show a gain of ½c. and provisions 7½ to 15c.

CHICAGO, Nov. 9.—Cash prices: Flour easy. Wheat—No. 2 spring $1 10@1 15; No. 3 spring $1 00@1 12; No. 2 red $1 15¼@1 17. Corn—No. 2 54@56½; No. 2 yellow 59½c. Oats—No. 2 31½c; No. 2 white 31½@32c; No 3 white 30⅝@31½c. Rye—No. 2 81c Mess pork, per bbl., $11 20@11 25. Lard, per 100 lbs, $7 12½@7 15. Short rib sides, loose, $7 00@7 12½. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, no market report. Short clear sides, boxed, $7 00@7 12½. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 24.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 December $1 12½@1 13, 1 13⅜, 1 12¼, 1 13⅜; May $1 12½@1 13⅛, 1 12⅞@1 13, 11⅜, 1 12⅞; July 98⅜@98⅝, 98⅝, 17⅜, 98⅝. Corn—December 49@49½, 51⅜, 49, 51⅜@51½c; May 46½@46⅜, 47, 46½, 46⅞@47; July 46½, 46⅝, 46½, 46⅝. Oats—No. 2 November —, —, —, 29⅜; December 29, 29¼, 29, 29¼; May 31⅛, 31⅛, 31¼@31⅛, 31½@31⅝c; July 31¼@31⅛, 31⅝, 31¼, 31½c. Mess pork, per bbl—January $12 80, 12 82½, 12 75, 12 82½; May $12 75, 12 82½, 12 75, 12 82½. Lard, per 100 lbs—January $7 17½, 7 32½, 7 15, 7 22½; May $7 25, 7 35, 7 25, 7 35. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—January $6 57½, 6 62½, 6 57½, 6 62½; May $6 72½, 6 75, 6 70, 6 75.

NEW YORK COFFEE FUTURES.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—Coffee—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice 8⅛c; mild steady; Cordova 10@13c. The market for coffee futures closed steady at unchanged prices to a decline of 5 points. The market was finally barely steady at unchanged prices to an advance of 15 points. Sales 116,000 bags.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 9.—Cotton: Spot, in fair demand, with prices two points higher; American middling fair 5.82d; good middling 5.56d; middling 5.46d; low middling 5.34d; good ordinary 5.20d; ordinary 5.04d. The sales of the day were 7,000 bales, of which 300 bales were for speculation and export and included 6,500 bales American. Receipts none.

Futures opened quiet and steady and closed barely steady; American middling (g o c): November 5.34d; November and December 5.32d; December and January 5.32d; January and February 5.34d; February and March 5.36d; March and April 5.37d; April and May 5.39d; May and June 5.40d; June and July 5.40d; July and August 5.40d.

MARINE.

CLEARED.

British steamer Anglo-Canadian, Parsons, Liverpool, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

EXPORTS.

FOREIGN.

LIVERPOOL—British steamer Anglo-Canadian, 15,783 bales cotton, 7,998,671 pounds, valued at $840,000; cargo and vessel by Alexander Sprunt & Son.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., November 10.

STEAMERS.

Fernfield, (Br) 2,025 tons, Lavies, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Kingswood, (Nor) 1,209 tons, Olsen, Heide & Co.

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Alice J Crabtree, 325 tons, Perkins, C D Maffitt.

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W. & W. Railroad—360 bales cotton; 3 casks spirits turpentine; 18 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—1,278 bales cotton; 10 barrels tar; 31 barrels crude turpentine

A. & Y. Railroad—227 bales cotton, 4 casks spirits turpentine; 13 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—110 bales cotton; 3 casks spirits turpentine; 4 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Hurt—30 bales cotton, 70 barrels rosin, 16 barrels crude turpentine.

Franklin Pierce—14 barrels rosin, 12 barrels tar, 8 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—2,154 bales cotton, 12 casks spirits turpentine, 96 barrels rosin, 37 barrels tar, 91 barrels crude turpentine.

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RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 428 158 85
Furniture and fixtures	$160 00	100 00
Demand loans		47 550 00
Due from banks and bankers		22,554 32
Cash items		6,361 28
Gold coin		75 00
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency		379 17
National bank notes and other U. S. notes		781 00
Total		$505,959 33

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000 00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	13 127 61
Dividends unpaid	15 00
Deposits subject to check	405,400 56
Demand certificates of deposit	33,738 00
Cashier's checks out standing	3,578 15
Certified checks	100 00
Total	$505 959 33

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss:

I, Milton Calder, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MILTON CALDER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 12th day of September, 1904.

S. M. BOATWRIGHT, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
L. B. ROGERS,
JOHN H. KUCK,
ROBERT R. BELLAMY, } Directors.

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NEW BOOKS.

A Ladder of Swords; by Gilbert Parker.
The Last Hope; by Henry Seton Merrimon.
The Crossing; by Winston Churchill.
Vergilius; by Irving Bacheller.
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BURYING A FRIENDSHIP

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Catherine, seated on a bowlder near the brink, dug her parasol into the soft loam of the bank or made vicious little jabs at the prickly balls on a clump of burdock near by. Tom Dayton sprawled comfortably on the ground and blew smoke rings.

"It is such a relief," she said as she finally succeeded in bringing one of the burdock balls to earth, "to know one man who won't talk love to you on the slightest provocation, even if he is smoky and sleepy and stupid every time you sit down with him."

"So they all talk love to you," mused Tom. "Don't suppose you help 'em out any—don't give 'em good openings and lead 'em on and that sort of thing, eh, kitten?"

She regarded him steadily for several moments, while her nose seemed to tilt the fraction of an inch higher.

"It isn't my fault that I adore canoeing and dancing and golf," she said. "I go canoeing with some mild appearing youth who apparently goes for the mere love of the river, or I waltz with some seemingly harmless man who evidently dances from the sheer love of it, or I knock a ball about the links with some athletic chap like towheaded Carter, and to all appearances our conversation will be confined to brassies and tees and so forth. But just as I congratulate myself that here is the hundredth man who takes precedence over the other ninety-nine in that he doesn't grow silly the idiot always wishes the paddle or the waltz or the game might go on forever. It's disheartening and sickening. Why can't men be sensible like you, Tommy?"

"Arrant flatterer," said Dayton.

"Four years," she went on—"four summers of perfect friendship. You've never once violated it."

"Not openly," he said slowly.

"Nor otherwise," she said firmly.

"H'm-m," he mused indolently, turning his gaze across the river, where the pines on the hills stood out sharply against a sky reddened by the sunset. "Kitten," he said suddenly, propping himself on an elbow, "you shouldn't wear such fluffy white dresses nor that sort of hat, and for the love of heaven don't put any of those marsh orchids in your belt again."

She turned to him with sudden surprise in her eyes. In all the years she had known him this was the first criticism of her he had ever offered.

"And why not, pray?" she asked.

"They are fatal to certain varieties of friendship," he responded.

"Tommy Dayton, sentimentalist," she chided.

"Tommy Dayton, mortal man," he corrected.

Silence fell between them. Dayton settled back and resumed the slow puffing of his pipe, while she renewed her attack on the burdock.

"Kitten," he said at length, "I want to tell you about a piece of cowardice that came to my attention. Listening?"

"Um—um-m," she said. "Sing on, Tommy."

"Well, there was a chap I knew once met a very charming girl. We can dispense with a description of the charms of this pair from the simple reason that he had none, and she had so many that words could never do them justice. Now, this chap promptly fell in love with the girl, only he couldn't tell her about it, for he was a poor devil of an engineer without one dollar to rub against another. But he had prospects in the world and therefore took heart, though he kept a seal on his lips. The girl came to be rather fond of him 'as a friend.'"

He paused. She was stabbing the burdock clump rapidly with the parasol. Her eyes gave him no inkling of her thoughts. Tommy resumed:

"Finally off he goes to South America to build trolley lines and make his pile, which latter he succeeded partially in doing. Each summer he came back to the States and the girl. And all the way up on the steamer he'd be making up his mind to let this girl know the true state of his feelings; used to think up just what he'd say and go way up forward in the bow evenings and practice it there all alone. Some rough night he'd be standing there spouting his proposal to the sea, when, whack! the splash of a wave, as the steamer put her nose into it, would strike him in the face. 'That's just what I'll get from her,' he'd say to himself—'cold water.' And the nearer he came to home the more he became convinced of this until when he really saw her and she told him how delightful their friendship was he'd agree with her and keep on agreeing all summer."

The parasol had come to rest. The girl's clasped hands were on the handle, and her hot cheek lay against her hands. She was regarding him quizzically.

"Rather a fool, wasn't I?" he said.

"Oh, Tommy, Tommy," she said reproachfully, "don't tell me you wish we could stay here forever!"

He rose and came close to her.

"I'm sorry to give you pain," he said, "but I have all the horrible symptoms—weakness of the knees and a tongue cleaving to the roof of my mouth. I think I'm about to propose. I've played the coward long enough."

"It's—it's awful for a man to be a coward, Tommy," she said gently.

He stooped and hastily rounded a mound of loam into a miniature grave. At the head and foot he set small flat stones; then he stood by solemnly, with his hat in his hands. Said he:

"Sacred to the memory of our dead friendship. It has outlived its usefulness and is therefore much better dead. Come on, kitten; let's go home and tell the folks."

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In the Way.

"In our house we follow William Morris' teaching," she said. "We have nothing that is of no use."

"But that always makes a house look so bare."

"I know it. But, then, we have four children."—Syracuse Journal.

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The rate of motion varies with local conditions, but is sometimes extremely slow. Thus the Theodul glacier ejected, in 1885, from its end two skeletons, with fragments of clothing, and two medals, dated 1582.

Other high authorities attribute their motion to other natural forces, such as alternate expansion and contraction.

A Dance Cure.

Dr. Bishoff of Valdivia, Chile, describes the hard work of the mining peons, who carry 150 pounds of ore in bags strapped to their shoulders while they climb up hundreds of feet on ladders, often consisting only of notched trees. They toil without a recess from 6 a. m. to 4 p. m. and might seem to be in need of all the rest they can get, but before supper prefer to take the strain out of their muscles after a fashion of their own—viz, dancing vehemently to the sound of a fiddle for an hour or two or even longer if their lady friends happen to muster in force. —Health Culture.

National Manners.

It is curious to watch on board a steamer how the men of different nationalities behave to a lady no longer young who is traveling alone. The Frenchman is absolutely rude if he gets the chance; the German simply takes no notice; the Austrian is frigidly polite; the Englishman takes trouble to be kind if his aid is solicited; the American is kind from habit and without effort.—London Standard.

Fathers and Sons.

Descanting on the changes in life and work brought about by time, a farmer said, "When I was young I used to think my father had na muckle sense, but my sons look on mysel' as a born eedlot!"—"Reminiscences," by Sir Archibald Geikie.

Their Views of It.

He—Did you see the pleased expression on her face when I told her she didn't look any older than her daughter? She—No; I was looking at the expression on her daughter's face.—Detroit Free Press.

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First Appearance of Dandruff a Forerunner of Future Baldness.

That such is the case has been conclusively proven by scientific research. Prof. Unna, the noted European skin specialist, declares that dandruff is the burrowed-up cuticle of the scalp, caused by parasites destroying the vitality in the hair bulb. The hair becomes lifeless, and, in time, falls out. This can be prevented.

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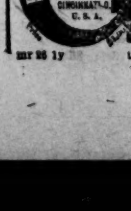

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A sale of surpassing importance of almost incredible opportunities.

50c Tobogan Caps, this sale 25c.
White Flannel, 25c quality, now 19c.
Bureau Scarf, worth 25c, now 15c.
25 dozen Handsome Fringe Shades, pure oil goods, worth 40c, this sale 25c.
Our entire line of Trunks at 25 per cent less than the regular price.
25c Tablecloth, this sale 18c.
20c Table Oilcloth, this sale 15c.
6c Nansook Checks, now 3½c.
10c Nansook Checks, now 7½c.
40 inch Dotted Curtain, Swiss, worth 15c, now 10c.
$2.20 Portiers, now per pair $1.50.
Corsets, 35c kind nicely trimmed and full made, this sale 22c.
Suspenders—35c suspenders 10c; 10c suspenders 8c; 25c suspenders 19c; 50c suspenders 38c.
Boys' seamless rib vests, not 20c but 11c each.
The Renban infant shirts, all sizes, not 35c, this sale 24c.
Big lot corsets at 10c.
Special 35c corset covers at 23c.
Knit corset covers, this sale 25c.
Handsome gowns, this sale 48c.
Foot ball and flag hat pins, 25c value, this sale 9c.
Silk and leather hand bags, this sale 10c.
Don't fail to see our large display of new novelties in our new store
Crepe diaper, per roll 5c.
$1 Glass decorated water sets, 6 glasses and pitcher, this sale 49c.
Ten dozen cupsaders, each 10c.
80 dozen Misses' Hose, Lace Hose worth 15c, this sale 10c.
75c Black Kid Gloves, this sale 49c.
Fancy Pillow Tops worth 15c, now 10c.
Boys' Winter Caps worth 15c, now 10c.
Baby Caps reduced.
Men's all wool Socks, 35c value, this sale 19c.
Men's half wool Socks, 25c kind, this sale 15c.
15c Toilet Soap, 3 cakes in box, this sale, box 9c.
25c Toilet Soap, 3 cakes in box, 15c.
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$1.25 Lamps, this sale 98c.
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This is only a few of our many bargains.
The Greatest Five Cent Counter in America in our New Store.
Ladies Fleece Lined Shirts, Ribbon, now 23c.
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Line of Sample Misses Underwear 1-3 off.
Misses Ribbed Union Suits, 38c value, now 24c.
Egyptian Yarn, Shirts and Pants for ladies, fancy trimmed, worth 50c, now 38c.
Full size Ladies' Union Suits, worth 35c, this sale 26c.
Ladies' all-wool shirts, worth $1, this sale 89c.
Ladies Flannellette Underskirts, 75c value, 49c.
Beautiful black underskirts, worth 69c, this sale 49c.

It will be worth your time to walk through Gaylord's Big Stores during this sale. Remember it costs you nothing to look. We want you to see the great values in seasonable merchandise we will offer the people for ten days.

REMEMBER THE PLACE AND TIME.

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NEW MATTINGS JUST RECEIVED. | **The C. W. Polvogt Co.,** The Store That's Always Busy, No. 9 North Front Street. | NEW STOCK OF FURS; THIS SEASON.

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China Matting in red and green coloring, only 10c. per yard.
Extra heavy quality China Matting, special, 25c. per yard.
33 1-3c. a yard buys our best China Matting in many patterns and extra heavy weight.
$1.65 Axminster Carpet for Parlor, this week, only $1.40 per yard, laid.
Sultan Velvet Carpet, in parlor, hall and stair patterns, laid for $1.25 per yard.
Extra quality Tapestry Brussels Carpet, laid, for 90c. per yard.
Special! Tapestry Brussel carpet, worth 80c. per yard—we have them in room, hall and stair pattern, this week only 60c. per yard laid.
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Special 6 feet wide floor oil cloth in choice patterns. Special only 50c. per yard.
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Millinery in the Height of Fashion will be found in our Millinery department.
Hats with Polvogt's name in them are the ones that are so much admired. We have them in the Browns, Navy and Green shades, in all the leading shapes.
Full assortment of Misses and Children's Dress and School Hats, Tam O'Shanta's and Caps.

Ladies and Children's Furs.

For those who contemplate buying a new fur, we would suggest you looking at our assortment first. We have a complete stock of fur neck pieces, $1.50 to $40 each.

Ladies Cloaks

Now is the time, Polvogt's is the ace to select your new winter wrap. We have them in the short and long kind, strap back in, Tan and Black 5 to $15.

Walking Skirts

A special purchase of Walking Skirts, in Black and Navy Blue Broad Cloth, Pepper and Salt Mixtures, perfectly tailored. $3 to $7 each.

LET US FIGURE ON YOUR WINDOW SHADES.

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In Effect October 17, 1904.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Wrightsville.	Leave W. Beach.
†7.00 A. M.	8.15	
10.00 A. M.		11.00 A. M.
3.00 P. M.		5.00 P. M.
*6.10 P. M.	7.30 P. M.	
*10.00 P. M. (Sat'day)	10.30 P. M. (Sat'day only)	

*Will go to Beach on request.
†Daily except Sunday.

FREIGHT.

(Daily except Sunday)

†3.00 P. M. 5.00 P. M.

The Company is not responsible for operation of this schedule.

CITY LINE.

Northbound city cars leaving junction at 2:30, 3:40, 3:50 and will run direct to S. A. L. depot. oct 15 tf

Wilmington and Southport Steam Boat Line.

Winter Schedule.

Steamer Wilmington leaves Wilmington Monday, Tuesdays and Wednesdays at 9:15, A M.

Leave Southport, 2 P. M.

Leave Southport Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays at 9 A. M.; leave Wilmington at 2 P. M.

Extra trip leave Wilmington on Thursday at 5 A. M.; Leave Southport, 8 P. M. Saturday freight received from 7 a. m. until 6 P. M.

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Schedule In Effect June 11, 1904.

NORTHBOUND.

	No 48	No 42
Lv Wilmington	9 15 a m	6 30 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12 06 p m	9 20 p m
Ar Wilson	1 16 p m	10 25 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 10 p m
Ar Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar Weldon	4 55 p m	1 45 a m
Ar Petersburg	6 55 p m	3 35 a m
Ar Richmond	7 45 p m	4 07 a m
Ar Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar Baltimore	1 43 a m	9 02 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 22 a m
Ar New York	7 30 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No 41	No 49
Lv New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2 07 p m	2 32 a m
Ar Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Norfolk	.....	9 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 15 p m	8 38 a m
Ar Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar Weldon	9 51 p m	11 50 a m
Ar Rocky Mount	10 51 p m	1 16 p m
Ar Wilson	11 32 p m	2 00 p m
Ar Goldsboro	6 48 a m	3 10 p m
Ar Wilmington	10 10 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND

	*Daily.	Daily.	Daily
Lv Wilmington	8 00 a m	2 30 p m	6 50 p m
Ar Florence	9 35 a m	7 30 p m	8 55 a m
Ar Charleston	1 10 p m	11 25 p m	6 45 a m
Ar Savannah	6 45 p m	2 50 a m	9 05 a m
Ar Jacksonville	.....	8 40 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Tampa	.....	7 25 p m	10 35 p m

NORTHBOUND.

	*Daily.	Daily
Lv Tampa	8 05 p m	7 10 a m
Ar Jacksonville	8 00 a m	4 50 p m
Ar Savannah	1 10 p m	1 15 a m
Ar Charleston	5 14 p m	5 55 a m
Ar Florence	7 50 p m	9 25 a m
Ar Wilmington	11 55 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD

	West Bound *Daily	East Bound Daily
Lv Wilmington	9 10 a m	Ar 8 00 p m
Ar Fayetteville	12 20 p m	Ar 4 55 p m
Ar Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv 3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN

	North Bound Daily ex Sunday	South Bound
Lv Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar 12 30 p m
Ar Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv 9 00 a m

*Except Sunday.

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No. 45 at 5:00 A. M. daily except Sunday, arrives Hamlet 8:50 A. M., connects with No. 66 for all points north, including Raleigh, Norfolk, Richmond, Washington and New York.

No. 40 arrives Wilmington daily 12:45 P. M., connects at Hamlet with all trains from North and South.

No. 44 arrives Wilmington daily except Sunday, 11:30 P. M., connects at Hamlet with No. 41, from Norfolk and Raleigh.

For further information regarding schedules, rates, Pullman reservations from Hamlet to all points call on or address

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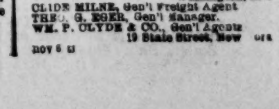

To Take Effect Thursday, Sept. 8, 1904, at 10 19 A. M.

GOING EAST. 2 Pass'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. 4 Pass'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
.....	3 30	Goldsboro	11 05	.....
.....	4 29	Kinston	10 13	.....
5 40	5 50	Newbern	8 27	9 00
7 15	7 07	Morehead City	.....	6 55
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.25 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 2 connects with Southern Railway train arriving at Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

K. S. HOWLAND, President.
E. P. FOSTER, Gen'l Manager.
sep 10 tf S. L. DILL, Supt.

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

THURSDAY MORNING, NOV. 10.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT IN EXUBERANT SPIRITS.

Overwhelmed With Congratulations from People in Every State--Many Visitors Received by the Executive.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 9.—President Roosevelt was overwhelmed with congratulations to day. They were presented by many people in person and were received by mail and by telegraph from every State and from almost every city in the country. The President was in exuberant spirits. Official business was nearly impossible of transaction by the President today. Scores of people called on him to extend their felicitations upon the result of the election. While he radiated good feeling, President Roosevelt was perfectly calm and undemonstrative.

The President said to-day he felt that his announcement that he would not accept another nomination would prevent during the next four years any misinterpretation of his actions, personal or official. He expressed himself as being in entire sympathy with the evident belief of the American people in the undesirability of a third term for a president, and he, therefore, had made his statement as unequivocal as possible.

Shortly after noon a delegation of the prominent citizens of Washington was received by the President. The delegation was entirely non-partisan, James L. Norris, the Democratic national committeeman for the District, and other Democrats joining in the cordial congratulations to Mr. Roosevelt.

One of the callers on the President was Mrs. Robert Anderson, widow of Major Robert Anderson, the hero of Fort Sumter. As she was scarcely able to leave her carriage, President Roosevelt went to the entrance of the executive offices to greet her. She presented to him a bunch of beautiful pink roses, the card carrying the inscription: "With my warmest, warmest congratulations." The President chatted cordially with Mrs. Anderson, expressing to her his sincere appreciation of her call and her congratulations.

THE SIEGE OF PORT ARTHUR.

Forts on Rihlun and Susung Mountains Silenced by Japanese—No Change in Situation Near Mukden.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

TOKIO, Nov. 9, 4 P. M.—It is reported that the Japanese have completely silenced the forts on Rihlun and Susung mountains and that their main strength is now attacking Eise mountain.

CHE FOO, Nov. 9, 12:30 P. M.—The Japanese continue to bombard Port Arthur, and the shells are falling so incessantly that the Russians have practically abandoned the repairs of the works protecting the harbor.

Citizen volunteers and the police are now reinforcing the garrisons of the forts, according to the story of Chinese arriving here, sixty of whom left Port Arthur November 8th, owing to the high price of food.

So many were killed on both sides during the last assault that many bodies lay unburied for days, and in some instances dogs which had been driven from the town assuaged their hunger by eating the dead. In a few cases where this was seen the horror-stricken Russian sharpshooters killed the dogs.

The Chinese say that the forts on Golden Hill have done practically no firing for months, and it is believed their ammunition has run short.

The demolition of the Chinese new town is almost completed, a thousand houses having been destroyed for the valuable firewood they contained. The town is constantly catching fire and a majority of the warehouses and stories belonging to foreigners have been burned to the ground.

Quiet at Mukden.

MUKDEN, Nov. 6.—All is quiet on both the Russian and the Japanese lines south of this place. Both armies continue the work of entrenching and reinforcements are rapidly arriving. The increasing cold makes the prospect of a winter campaign doubtful, as military movements now would be attended with great difficulty. Fuel and forage are both scarce and dear.

RESULT IN WISCONSIN.

Roosevelt's Plurality Over 60,000—Congressional Complexion Unchanged.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Nov. 8.—The result of the election shows that Roosevelt ran ahead of every ticket and carried the State by a plurality estimated at between 50,000 and 75,000; that Governor LaFollette has been elected by a plurality of about 50,000 and that the congressional complexion remains unchanged from two years ago. The legislature, which is to elect a United States Senator to succeed Joseph V. Quarles, is largely Republican. One of the surprises of the election was the big increase in the vote of the Social-Democratic party. Four years ago that party polled 4,458 votes in Milwaukee county, two years ago 10,704, and in this election 18,130. The Social-Democrats elected four Assemblymen and one Senator to the legislature.

MINNESOTA RETURNS.

A Democrat Elected Governor and a Republican Lieutenant Governor.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ST. PAUL, MINN., Nov. 9.—When all of the returns shall have been received, it is claimed by the Republicans that Roosevelt's majority will run close to 125,000, if not more. An estimate made to-day fromn icomplete returns indicated 109,000. The Republicans elected the entire nine congressmen and the State legislature.

John A. Johnson, Democrat, and Ray Jones, Republican, were elected governor and lieutenant governor, respectively.

Complete but unofficial returns give Roosevelt a plurality of 4,100 in Delaware. Preston Lea, the Republican compromise candidate for governor, carried the State by a plurality of 2,800.

A Runaway Bicycle

Terminated with an ugly cut on the leg of J. B. Orner, of Franklin Grove Ill. It developed a stubborn ulcer un' yielding to doctors and remedies for four years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured. It is just as good for Burns, Scalds, Skin Eruptions and Piles. Only 25 cents, at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

TO THE DEMOCRACY OF THE NATION.

Open Letter from Judge Parker Thanking Those in Charge of His Campaign.

PARTY HAS A GREAT MISSION

Before Long the People Will Realize That Tariff-Fed Trusts and Illegal Combinations Are Absorbing the Wealth of the Nation.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ESOPUS, N. Y., Nov. 9.—Judge Parker to night gave the press an open letter, addressed "To the Democracy of the Nation," in which he thanked those in charge of his campaign work and declared that the people will soon realize that "the tariff-fed trusts are absorbing the wealth of the nation."

He said that when the time comes, the people will turn to the Democratic party for relief. In this letter Judge Parker says he will never seek a nomination for public office. The letter follows:

To the Democracy of the Nation:

Our thanks are due to the members of the national committee and to the executive committee in charge of the campaign for most unselfish, capable and brilliint party service. All that it was possible for men to do they did; but our difficulty was beyond the reach of party managers.

I am most grateful to them, and wish in this general way to extend my thanks to the workers, as well as the rank and file, all over the country. I know how hard they struggled against overwhelming odds, and I only wish I could take each one by the hand and thank him.

Deeply as I regretted leaving the bench, at the time of it, in the presence of overwhelming defeat I do not lament it. I thought it was my duty. In the light of my present information I am now even more confident that I did right. I shall never seek a nomination for public office, but I shall to the best of my ability serve the party that has honored me and through the party serve my country.

The party has in the near future a great mission. Before long the people will realize that the tariff-fed trusts and illegal combinations are absorbing the wealth of the nation.

Then they will wish to throw off these leeches, but the Republican party will not aid them to do it, for its leaders appreciate too well the uses to which the moneys of the trust can be put in political campaigns.

When that time comes, and come it will, the people will turn to the Democratic party for relief, and the party should be ready—ready with an organization of patriotic citizens coverlug every election district who are willing to work for the love of the cause—an organization supported by as many town, city, county and State officers as we are able to elect in the meantime.

We entered this canvass with every Northern, Western and Eastern State, save one, in Republican control. This gave to that party a large army of officeholders reaching into every hamlet, many of whom gladly followed the examples set for them by the members of the President's cabinet in devoting their time and services to the party.

To accomplish much in this direction, however, we must forget the difficulties of the past. If any one suspects his neighbor of treachery, let him not hint of his suspicions. If he knows he has deserted us let him not tell it. Our forces have been weakened by divisions. We have quarrelled at times over non essentials. If we would help the people, if we would furnish an organization through which they may be relieved of a party that has grown so corrupt that it will gladly enter into partnership with trusts to get their moneys for election purposes, we must forget the differences of the past and begin this day to build up, where it may be needed, a broad and effective organization. We must by constant teaching, through the press and from the platform, apprize the people of the way the vicious tariff circle works.

We must bring home to them at other than election times the fact that moneys contributed to the Republican party by the trusts is not only dishonest money, but it is given that the trusts may, without hindrances, take a much larger sum from the people.

In the presence of a defeat that would take away all personal ambition, were it true that otherwise it possessed me—I do not hesitate to say that in my opinion the greatest moral question which confronts us is:

Shall the trusts and corporations be prevented from contributing money to control or to aid in controlling elections?

Such service as I can render in that or any other direction will be gladly rendered.

And I beg the co-operation as a fellow-worker of every Democrat in the country. ALTON B. PARKER.

The telegraph office at Rosemount lodge was dismantled to-night after to-day's business.

Judge Parker said to-night that his plans for the future were not definitely made, but that soon he would be in harness again. It is generally believed here that he will engage in the practice of law in New York, forming a partnership with some well established firm.

HEARST MAKES DENIAL.

Has No Knowledge of Any Meeting Between Watson, Bryan an Himself.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—W. R. Hearst issued the following statement to-night with regard to the report that steps were being taken to organize a new party:

"I have no knowledge of any meeting between Mr. Watson, Mr. Bryan and myself. I think the Democratic party will reorganize itself on a basis of true Democracy, eliminating the Wall street influence that proved so disastrous in this campaign, and I, as a loyal Democrat, will be very happy to see that done. I am always ready to contribute my own services and those of my papers to the Democracy for reorganization or any other purpose, if they shall be required.

"I shall be glad to work with all loyal Democrats for the success of Democratic principles, but I think the loyal Democrats are quite capable of choosing their own leaders, and I think this point will now be conceded by those who endeavored to force leaders upon them."

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WM. J. BRYAN'S COMMENT ON RESULT OF ELECTION.

Cause of the Defeat of Democratic Party. Advice as to the Future—Will Assist in Organizing for 1908.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

LINCOLN, NEB., Nov. 9.—William J. Bryan to-night gave out an extended statement concerning yesterday's election which is intended to serve as his comment on the result and as an answer to reports connecting him with a movement looking to the formation of a new party, Mr. Bryan said he would not attempt to deny all the reports circulated as to his future political action. He says:

"The defeat of Judge Parker should not be considered a personal one. He did as well as he could under the circumstances; he was the victim of unfavorable conditions and of a mistaken party policy. He grew in popularity as the campaign progressed and expressed himself more and more strongly upon the trust question, but could not overcome the heavy odds against him. The so called conservative Democrats charge the defeats of 1896 and 1900 to the party's position on the money question and they insisted that a victory could be won by the dropping of the coinage question entirely. The reorganizers are in complete control of the party, they planned the campaign and carried it on according to their own views, and the verdict against the plan is a unanimous one. Surely he cannot be blamed for this defeat, for the campaign was run on a gold basis. Neither can defeat be charged to emphatic condemnation of the trusts, for the trusts were assailed as vigorously four years ago. It is evident that the campaign did not turn upon the question of imperialism and it is not fair to concede the result as a personal victory for the President, although his administration was the subject of criticism.

"The result was due to the fact that the Democratic party attempted to be conservative in the presence of conditions which demanded radical remedies. It sounded a partial retreat when it should have ordered a charge all along the line. The Democratic party has nothing to gain by catering to organized and predatory wealth. It must not only do without such support, but it can strengthen itself by inviting open and emphatic opposition of these elements. The campaign just closed shows that it is as inexpedient from the standpoint of policy as it is wrong from the standpoint of principle to attempt any conciliation of the industrial and financial despots who are gradually getting control of all the avenues of wealth. The Democratic party, if it hopes to win success, must take the side of the plain common people."

Mr. Bryan says for two years he has pointed out the futility of any attempt to compromise with wrong or to patch up a peace with the great corporations which are now exploiting the public, but the Southern Democrats were so alarmed by the race issue that they listened, rather reluctantly be it said to their credit, to the promises of success held out by those who had contributed to the defeat of the party in the two preceding campaigns: He continues:

"The experiment has been a costly one, and it is not likely to be repeated during the present generation. The Eastern Democrats were also deceived. They were led to believe that the magnates and monopolists who coerced the voters in 1896 and supplied an enormous campaign fund in both 1896 and 1900 would help the Democratic party if our party would only be less radical. The election has opened the eyes of the hundreds of thousands of honest and well meaning Democrats who a few months ago favored the reorganization of the party.

"These men now see that they must either go into the Republican party or join with the Democrats of the West and South in making the Democratic party a positive, aggressive and progressive reform organization. There is no middle ground."

Mr. Bryan says now that the campaign is over he will assist those who desire to put the Democratic army once more upon a fighting basis; he will assist in organizing for the campaign of 1908.

Mr. Bryan continues: "The party must continue to protest against a large army, against a large navy and to stand for the independence of the Filipinos, for imperialism adds the menace of militarism to the corrupting influence of commercialism, and yet experience has shown that however righteous the party's position on this subject, the issue does not arouse the people, as they can be warned by a question which touches them immediately and individually.

"The party must also maintain its position on the tariff question. The party must renew its demand for an income tax, to be secured through a constitutional amendment in order that wealth may be made to pay its share of the expense of the government.

"The party must maintain its position in favor of bimetallism. It cannot surrender its demand for use of both gold and silver as the standard money of the country, but the question must remain in abeyance until conditions so change as to bring the public again face to face with falling prices and a rising dollar. This, therefore, cannot be made the controlling issue of the question upon which we are entering.

"The trust question presents the most acute phase of the contest between democracy and plutocracy so far as economic issues are concerned. The president virtually admits that the trusts contributed to his campaign fund, but he denies that they received any promise of aid or immunity. No well informed person doubts that the large corporations have furnished the Republican campaign fund during the campaigns of 1896 and 1900 and 1904, and no one can answer the logic of Judge Parker's arraignment of the trusts' contributions. The trusts are run on a business principle. They do not subscribe millions of dollars to a campaign unless they are paying for favors already granted or purchasing favors for future delivery. The weakness of Judge Parker's position was that the charge was made at the close of the campaign, when it was neutralized by a counter charge. The trusts cannot be fought successfully by any party that depends upon trust funds to win the election. The Democratic party must make its attack upon the trusts so vehement that no one will suspect of secret aid from them. It will be to its advantage if it will begin the next campaign with an announcement that no trust contributions will be accepted, and then prove its sincerity by giving the public access to its contribution list."

Prince Saduaru Fushimi, cousin of the Emperor of Japan, who comes to this country to pay a special visit to the President of the United States, arrived at San Francisco by the Liner Manchuria yesterday.

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The Former Mayor of Charlottesville, Va., Convicted of the Murder of His Wife.

EXECUTION 20TH OF JANUARY

Accused Declared He Was Innocent of the Crime—All Objections of Prisoner's Counsel Overruled—Appealed to Higher Court.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., Nov. 9.—After overruling five motions for a new trial, Judge Geo. Watts Morris, of the Charlottesville Corporation Court, to-day sentenced J. Samuel McCue, former mayor of this city for three terms, to be hanged by the neck until he is dead.

Judge Morris disposed of the objections in their order. The first was the reading of newspapers by the jury. After the judge had overruled all objections, Mr. Coleman, of the defence, moved an arrest of judgment for error apparent on face of the record, claiming a discrepancy because the indictment charged murder simply, while the verdict read "guilty of murder in the first degree."

The court overruled this motion, also, stating that the verdict was perfectly plain as to its intent. The prisoner's counsel was given until Saturday to frame his bill of exceptions with a view of carrying the case to the Virginia Court of Appeals.

Judge Morris then ordered McCue to arise and hear the sentence. The prisoner walked to the railing in front of the judge and stood with arms folded. He was very pale but free from nervousness.

"Is there any reason why sentence should not be passed upon you?" asked Judge Morris.

"Yes," was the answer, as the convicted man dropped his arms to his side, "I am as innocent of this crime as any one in this court house and I hope some day to have the opportunity to vindicate myself."

This statement was made in a voice scarcely audible throughout the room. It trembled with suppressed emotion, as if the accused was upon the verge of a tearful collapse. Again folding his arm, and with posture erect, his eyes cast down, he listened unmoved to the sentence.

The court replied: "The point of your guilt or innocence is a matter that was left to the jury. This court, thank God, did not have to pass upon it. The jury has decided after a fair and impartial trial that you are guilty of the offence and it only remains for me to pass the sentence of the law, which is that you be taken to the county jail of Albemarle county, which is also used as the city jail at Charlottesville, and therein be confined in solitary confinement until the 20th day of January next; that on that day, between the hours of sunrise and sunset you be taken from your place of confinement to some place within the enclosure of the said jail and there be hanged by your neck until you are dead; and may God have mercy on your soul."

The judge shook hands with the prisoner as the latter left the court room and expressed his sympathy. Apparently the prisoner was the cooler of the two. He asked several liberties regarding exercise and receiving callers but the judge gave no definite promise.

THE RESULT IN MISSOURI.

Practically Conceded That the State Succumbed to the Roosevelt Landslide. Contention as to State Ticket.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 9.—Twenty-four hours after the polls had closed in Missouri found the results of the elections till undetermined throughout the State though it was practically conceded that Missouri had succumbed to the Roosevelt landslide, but that one Democrat remained standing, he being Jos. W. Folk, for governor. However, even in the face of in-pouring returns showing a Democratic slump throughout the State, the Democrats insisted that the true results cannot be known until the returns had been completed, and asserted that Democracy in Missiouri was yet victorious by a very narrow margin. The Republicans hoped for a complete victory throughout, and insisted that Cyrus P. Walbridge, for governor, had not been defeated but would be finally found to have won by a slight majority. They also claim to have elected five of the sixteen Congressmen, making a gain of four, and declared they had a majority of two on joint ballot in the Legislature, which will elect a successor to United States Senator Cockrell.

At the Democratic State headquarters it was learned that Folk had carried the State by from 35,000 to 40,000 majority, that the rest of the State ticket was safe, and that Parker had carried the State by a small plurality. At nightfall these claims were still advanced.

W. J. Bryan telegraphed congratulations to Mr. Folk in the afternoon, but the latter decided not to reply until he could inform Mr. Bryan of his exact plurality.

IN WEST VIRGINIA.

Democrats Concede That Roosevelt Carried the State by Over 10,000.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., Nov. 9.—West Virginia seems to have kept pace with the rest of the Union at Tuesday's election. Returns which came in very slowly last night have been received to-day with considerable rapidity and the result can be definitely stated. Democrats concede that Roosevelt has carried the State by over 10,000, while the Republicans claim that Roosevelt's majority will be the largest ever given to any candidate by the State and may exceed 80,000.

The Democrats have not conceded the election of W. M. O. Dawson, the Republican nominee for governor, although his election is claimed by the Republicans by over 20,000.

TWO MEN KILLED.

Duel With Pistols Between Dispensary Constables at Eastover, S. C.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Nov. 9.—A duel with pistols was fought by R. L. Irby and S. A. Phillips, members of the dispensary constabulary, to-day at Eastover, near Columbia. It is understood that the men had been drinking and after a few words about an overcoat both drew pistols and fired almost simultaneously. Phillips was killed instantly and Irby died within an hour.

Notice. Gaylord's Sale lasts three more days. †

SUMMARY OF THE ELECTION.

Roosevelt's Plurality in the Nation Will Exceed 1,500,000—The Solid South Broken--Maryland and Missouri.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—With the election returns still incomplete, the plurality of President Roosevelt in the nation, according to all indications to-night will exceed 1,500,000—the greatest plurality ever given an American candidate. The nearest approach to this vote was in 1896, when McKinley received a plurality approximating 850,000, and in 1872, when Grant received 762,991 plurality.

To night the interest centers in Missouri and Maryland. Late returns indicate that the former State is in the Republican column so far as presidential electors are concerned, but that James W. Folk, the Democratic candidate, has been elected governor. In Maryland, the presidential vote will be cast for President Roosevelt. Late returns to-night indicate that Thomas A. Smith, Democrat, has been elected to Congress in the first district by 450 plurality. Congressman Jackson, of this district, to-night, however, puts forward a claim of trick ballots and fraud and says he will contest the election. In the other States, it is simply a question of pluralities.

The "Solid South" was broken by the probable defection of Missouri—this section of the country usually having thirteen States in the Democratic column. The figures to-night show but twelve States, with 133 votes for Judge Parker.

President Roosevelt carried all Northern States—sweep them in fact—and to-night he had 343 electoral votes.

The banner State is Pennsylvania. Twenty-four hours after the polls closed the returns from this State indicated that Roosevelt's plurality would reach 450,000. Next came New York State, where the President polled approximately 174,000 more than did Judge Parker.

The New York city returns are still incomplete, but the amazement over the result has not subsided. Judge Parker carried Greater New York by only 41,000.

MANY NEW WARSHIPS.

Building Programme Recommended by the General Board of the Navy.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 9.—Three battleships, five scout cruisers, six torpedo destroyers, six torpedo boats and two squadron colliers, at an aggregate maximum cost of $41,300,000 is the building programme the general board of the navy has recommended the secretary of the navy to urge Congress to authorize at its next session. Secretary Morton will refer the recommendations to the board of construction for comment and endorsement and will base his recommendations to Congress on reports of the two boards.

Homogenity is earnestly urged by the board as the great need of the navy. The board suggests that the new battleships shall be of the general type of the Connecticut class. This would give the navy nine first-class battleships of 16,000 tons displacement each.

Great speed is urged as the feature of the five scout cruisers recommended. The board thinks the six torpedo boat destroyers and six torpedo boats recommended should have greater size and seaworthiness than previously built vessels of the class.

PLOT FRUSTRATED.

Republicans Attempt to Tamper With the Ballots at Cripple Creek.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CRIPPLE CREEK, COLO., Nov. 9.—Sheriff Bell frustrated an attempted deportation of Frank P. Mennix, county clerk and recorder, a Democrat, to-day. Mennix had been marched a mile and a half from town by three men when they were overtaken by the sheriff and a posse. Mennix was released and Wm. Caruthers, Carl Evans and E. E. Cornelison were arrested on a charge of kidnapping. They furnished bonds of $500 each. Caruthers is the general freight agent of the Cripple Creek Central railroad and for several years was deputy under County Recorder Mennix. The other two men arrested are miners. Their friends say that the affair was intended to be a joke, but Democrats allege that a plot had been reached to get Mennix out of the way and tamper with the ballots which are in his custody.

MASSACHUSETTS ELECTION.

The Plurality for Douglass, Democrat, for Governor is 35,710.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BOSTON, MASS., Nov. 9.—The returns from the State were completed to-day and the figures show that the Republican presidential electors received a plurality of 86,279 in a total vote of 422,835 cast by the Republican and Democratic parties yesterday. The vote for president and the head of the State ticket were: Roosevelt, 254,552; Parker, 168,273. Roosevelt's plurality, 86,279. For governor, Douglas, Democrat, 234,311; Bates, Republican, 198,601. Douglas' plurality, 35,710.

With the exception of Governor Bates, the Republican State ticket was elected by a substantial plurality. The legislature is overwhelmingly Republican.

WARM WIRELETS.

James P. Storm, treasurer of Prescott county, Arizona, was found bound, gagged and locked in the vault of his office. The treasurer had been robbed of $15,000.

The directors of the Norfolk and Western Railroad Company have declared the usual semi-annual dividend of 1½ per cent. on the company's common stock.

Returns received by the Associated Press from the Congressional districts up to midnight show that Congress will be made up of 247 Replicans 136 Democrats and three missing.

The entire plant of the Southern Cotton Oil Company, at Forsyth, Ga., was destroyed by fire early yesterday morning. The loss is not stated. There is no clue to the origin of the fire.

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